**IMAGINE A NATION**

**Semester 2, 2010**

**Speech Writing Frame**

**ORAL PRESENTATION**

**PLANNING A SPEECH**

**Persona:** Who are you, are you a Minister with a Portfolio (if so, which one) or a backbencher, what is the name of the electorate within your imagined nation that you are representing?

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**Audience: Remember, you are doing an ORAL PRESENTATION to the House or Representatives. You must begin appropriately.**

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1. **Make a list of arguments for and against the issue.**
2. **Write down your contention and make a list of arguments (and explanations you will use)**

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| **Structure** | **Planning** |
| *Introduction:* provide a brief outline of the issue, state your contention, introduce your persona and list your main arguments (NO explanations at this stage) |  |
| Main Body: Paragraph 1 Introduce your first main point here. Remember to use topic and linking sentences. Explain your argument in as much detail as possible. Remember to use some persuasive techniques when doing this. |  |
| Main Body: Paragraph 2 Discuss your second point here. Remember to use topic and linking sentences. Explain your argument in as much detail as possible. Remember to use some persuasive techniques when doing this. |  |

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| **Structure** | **Planning** |
| Main Body: Paragraph 3 Discuss your third point here. Remember to use topic and linking sentences. Explain your argument in as much detail as possible. Remember to use some persuasive techniques when doing this*.* |  |
| Main Body: Paragraph 4This is your rebuttal paragraph. Pick an argument that you can rebut. Introduce it, explain it and then offer your counter arguments for it. Make sure you explain why the opposing argument is wrong in as much detail as you can. |  |
| Conclusion: do NOT summarise your arguments. |  |

**NOW WRITE YOUR SPEECH**